IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,)) 8:21CR93
vs.)
RODRIK STONE,) ORDER
Defendant.)

This matter is before the court on the defendant's Motion to Continue Trial [48]. Counsel requires additional time to complete plea negotiations and/or to prepare for trial. The court has conferred with the parties and for good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion to Continue Trial [48] is granted, as follows:

- 1. The jury trial, now set for February 15, 2022, is continued to April 26, 2022.
- 2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between today's date and April 26, 2022 shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).
- 3. No further continuances will be granted without counsel for the parties requesting a hearing before the undersigned magistrate judge.

DATED: February 3, 2022

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge